GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

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EXPANSION OF NCC
ANANTA NAYAK

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have a proposal to strengthen and expansion of NCC;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the State Governments agreed to provide to additional funds to NCC; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) to (d): As against the proposed strengthening by one lakh NCC cadets, so far approval has been accorded for induction of 76,560 cadets. The State Governments of Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Jharkhand, Delhi, West Bengal and Sikkim, have agreed to bear the share of expenditure for the additional cadet strength. Funds for raising the additional cadet strength in the States of North-East (20,000 cadets) and Jammu & Kashmir (5,000 cadets) would be provided entirely by the Central Government.